

AGAWAM HIGH SCHOOL

50th CLASS REUNION

1942 — 1992



September 5, 1992
Betty's Towne House
Agawam, Massachusetts

In Memoriam

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*50th REUNION
THE CLASS OF 1942*

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Mickey Ehrhardt Guidi

Shirley Matteson Wands

CLASS SONG

Words by
Ruth Raisor
Shirley Spring

Class of '42

Music by
Warner Tolken

1. Loy-al Class-mates now we come To- This our part-ing way- The
2. To our school we pledge our hearts We- leaved here to be, true- To

worth each will soon be prain in deeds of work and play we know that our lives will be
ho-nor both our freedom and our flag of glo-ri-ous hue. with grate-ful- hearts for-

guided-... by Tho- standers up to in our school life We raise our voice in
helping-... hand And- courage that ne'er will die-

song of praise for A- GA- WAM HIGH - HIGH

THE CLASS OF '42

HILDA ANDERSON Sasson

27 Brookdale Road
Glen Cove, NY 11542

Hilda married Jack Sasson of Agawam's Class of '40. A "retired" homemaker, Hilda has traveled to visit relatives in England, Denmark and Sweden. She also keeps busy with needlework, photography, oil painting, crossword puzzles, foreign cooking and genealogy. The Sassons spend weekends at their cottage on Congamond. C-4, GC-5**

LORRAINE ARDIZONI Gullifer

WALLACE GULLIFER

725 Garden Road
Aberdeen, NC 28315

The Class of '42's Best All Around Boy and Girl are still a team, naming "family love" among their accomplishments. Wally enjoys golf and woodworking; Honey, golf and bridge. They travel often to visit their children in South Carolina, Minnesota and New Jersey. "Think what an impact our four high school years have made on our lives!" C-3, GC-6

** C= Children

GC= Grandchildren

GGC= Great Grandchildren

SADIE ASSAD Ferraro
17 Henry Street
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Sadie spends her time with golf, swimming and bowling when she's not working. She's raised and educated two daughters, a Doctor of Chemistry and a Master of Education. Her travels have included Bermuda and Bahama Island cruises. C-2, GC-1

CLAYTON ATWATER
79 Elbert Road
Agawam, MA 01001

Clay is retired but not retiring. His kids' homes keep him active, and he works on them continually. His favorite travel spot? "Chicopee Falls." C-3, GC-2

VALE BAILEY Hardy
228 Washington Avenue
West Haven, CT 06516

Vale retired two years ago. She was the Control Clerk for the Knights of Columbus of New Haven. She is accompanied by her husband Edward. C-2, GC-2

RAYMOND BARBIERI
37 Church Street
Agawam, MA 01001

Ray retired after working 43 years at Monsanto. He enjoys golf, fishing, bowling and yard work. Travels include the Parade of Roses, Las Vegas and many bus tours. Accomplishments? "Still living!" C-1, GC-2

LOIS BARDEN Buiniskas

42 Raymond Circle
Agawam, MA 01001

Lois and her husband have visited 25 of the 50 states; they've returned to many to fully enjoy them. Canada has been a second home, and they have traveled there extensively. Lois was a proofreader for 30 years; she's now retired. Her other hobbies include arts and crafts, oil painting, and she's still knitting with her gift of circular needles from the Class of '42. Now married 46 years, the Buiniskases have lived in their home in Agawam since 1954.

BENJAMIN BASSANI

16 Depot Street
Southwick, MA 01077

Ben is still going strong in real estate. He spent many years as a sales rep for the Pillsbury Company, after which he founded, built and sold the New Horizon Real Estate Company. He has vacationed in Italy and Hawaii, and his hobby is skiing. Ben claims he'll never retire. GC-5

DONALD BENNETT

37 Jensen Circle
West Springfield, MA 01089

Donald has spent a lifetime in the bakery business: General Mills, Pillsbury and Tiffany Bakeries. He has worked in both operations and sales. Now retired, he enjoys travel and gardening. C-4, GC-9

NOEL BROWN

443 Northwest Street
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Noel spent 35 years as a firefighter in Agawam, earning the rank of Lieutenant. During these years he also taught fire technology at Springfield Technical Community College. "Then I retired ten years ago—like an old horse—to the farm." He lists work as his hobby and says, "When I go South, I'm referring to the MA-CT line." C-7, GC-7

JOSEPH CALABRESE

257 Feeding Hills Road
Southwick, MA 01077

Joe and his wife Eleanor operate Calabrese Farms on Rt. 57 in Southwick. He's still up at the crack of dawn each day so that many of us can enjoy the fruits of his labor.
C-2, GC-4

LUCILLE CAMPBELL Harpin

193 Shoemaker Lane
Agawam, MA 01001

Lucille works as a clerk for a finance company; she spends weekends at antique shows and tag sales. She also enjoys playing cards and taking trips with her church's Over 60 group. Classmate Robert Deforge was born the same day, same year as Lu—August 8, 1924.

ANN CHMAEL Dolan
183 Nassau Drive
Springfield, MA 01129

Now that she's retired, Ann spends more time with her favorite hobbies, sewing and cross stitch. Having raised six children, the sewing sure must have come in handy! Ann has traveled throughout the "lower 48." C-6, GC-9

LILLIAN CIAK Daubitz
261 James Street
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Lil is still working "at home" and lists golf, skiing and travel among her hobbies. C-3, GC-3

NANCY CLARK Vennard
131 Hollister Street
Manchester, CT 06040

WILLIAM COLSON
183 Briarcrest Estates
Laconia, NH 03246

Since retiring after many years service as a patrolman on the Agawam Police force, Bill now works for the State of New Hampshire Department of Safety Marine Patrol. He is involved in taking care of the navigational aids in the state's lakes and maintaining some 65 patrol boats. His hobbies include golf, hunting, fishing and surffishing. C-3, GC-3

CHRISTINA COUGHLIN Murphy

7 State Street
Westfield, MA 01085

Christina works as a legal secretary. She enjoys reading, swimming and travel. Her main haunts are Florida, Canada, New York City and Boston. C-4

LORRAINE COUTURE Hebert

54 Bell Street
Chicopee, MA 01013

Now retired, Lorraine enjoys her cat Blackie. C-2, GC-4

FREDERICK D'AMATO

220 Tiffany Street
Springfield, MA 01108

Fred retired after many years at Hamilton Standard. Still a bachelor, he is an avid gardener. Also a great walker, Fred racks up the miles each week.

ROBERT DAVIS

43 Bennett Street
Chicopee, MA 01013

Retired from Independent Fence Company where he worked as a fence erector, Bob lists mountain climbing and "eating whole meat" as his hobbies. He also favors cruises to Bondi's Island when he's in a traveling mood. C-1, GC-3

HELEN DREWNOWSKI Daubitz
232 Colemore Street
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Reading, knitting, golf and bowling occupy Helen's spare time, now that she's retired. She has traveled to Bermuda, Wales, England and Canada. C-2, GC-2

WILLIAM DREWNOWSKI
25 Hillcrest Street
Agawam, MA 01001

Originally a watch maker, Bill retired after a second career as a quality control manager. Now he plays golf. He traveled the South Pacific during WWII and has vacationed in Hawaii, Mexico, Canada and Bermuda. Eleven years ago he remarried and gained 7 stepchildren and 8 grandstepchildren.
C-5, GC-5

MADELINE EHRHARDT Guidi
75 Knollwood Drive
Old Saybrook, CT 06475

Mickey left Agawam and lived in several states: Vermont, New Jersey, Missouri and Texas before returning to Massachusetts to work for the F.W. Webb Company. She retired just this past May. Her hobbies are cross country skiing, crafts and traveling (Ireland, Germany and most of the U.S.) "Raising three girls" has been a real accomplishment!
C-3, GC-2

FRANK EVANGELIST

51 Franklin Street
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Public service has been a way of life for Frank, who retired as a Sergeant on the Agawam Police Department. He has been active with the Knights of Columbus, the Lions, the Shriners, and his church parish council. He is also an active volunteer with the Agawam Library and is a member of the Fair Housing Committee and the Agawam Retirees Insurance Committee. Frank is serving his second term on the Council on Aging.

FRANCES FARIOLE Alves

53 Fairview Street
Agawam, MA 01001

"Does a homemaker ever retire?" is Fran's question, although she claims that both she and her husband are officially among the leisure class. She paints, bowls, writes poetry and enjoys politics. Accomplishments? "Kept a positive attitude after 46 years of married life to one man." Although she believes "travel is a state of mind," each Thursday evening Fran makes her way to the races in Hinsdale. C-5, GC-3

COLUMBINE FRAGOMENI Fontaine

26 Pine Grove Street
Springfield, MA 01119

Columbine is retired; her husband George Fontaine, who was a Purple Heart veteran of WWII, died in 1983. She names family, home and travel among her accomplishments and gardening, reading and cooking as her hobbies. She loves Maine and has traveled all over New England, Florida and Louisiana. In 1979 she took a cross country trip, marveling at the Grand Canyon. C-2

PHYLLIS FRANKLIN Craig
Lockhouse Road
Westfield, MA 01085

A 35-year resident of Westfield, Phyllis is retired now. She finds pleasure in camping and gardening. She recently purchased an RV which she and her husband plan to put to good use on frequent motor trips to Florida. C-2, GC-2

CAROL FRILEN Miller
1021 Concord Court
Naples, FL 33963

Carol worked for years in a friend's sportswear shop and ended up buying and operating the store for another six years. She's now retired, enjoying swimming, furniture refinishing and sewing. She's been up and down both coasts of the U.S., and has wintered in Florida for the past eight years. Her summers are spent in Rhode Island. C-2, GC-2

LEWIS GILE
233 Bates Road
Westfield, MA 01085

Lew is retired and now keeps active with fishing, camping, traveling and his walking club. He considers that he has "stayed married for 44 years to the same woman" a life accomplishment. He is a member of the Mt. Moriah Lodge of Masons of Westfield, the Westfield Cozy Corner Seniors, and is a past member of the New England Family Campers Association. He has visited Hawaii, Japan, Canada, Mexico and has been all over the U.S. C-2, GC-3

EVERETT GOSS

1 Ferndale Avenue
Enfield, CT 06082

SAMUEL GRIMALDI

Whereabouts Unknown

RUTH GROUT Edge

145 Scenic Drive
Concord, CA 94518

Life has been good to Ruth. Transported to California 42 years ago, she married "Wally Edge, the light of my life." The couple has traveled all over the U.S., both coasts of Canada, Alaska, the Hawaiian Islands and Europe. Now retired and full of pep, they plan more travel and "fun enjoying life and each other." Not at the reunion, Ruth bids us her best wishes. C-1, GC-2

GEORGE GUIDI

1428 Larkin Court No. 5
Elgin, IL 60123

Since retiring from his sales and marketing career, George favors golf and "the three R's" among his pasttimes. He spent time in the British Isles with the military and has done considerable civilian traveling through Germany and most of the U.S.A. He's not nearly finished, so can't sum up his accomplishments. "Regards to all in love 'n' light."
C-3, GC-2

JUNE HALE Fischer
P.O. Box 351
Naples, FL 33939

Miss Belyea's office training served June well, bringing her many rewards as an executive secretary. She was also an avid boater on the Connecticut River and Long Island Sound. June eventually traded her 34 ft. cruiser for a 33 ft. RV and settled in Naples, Florida. Each summer she takes her home on the road traveling the U.S., often following her brother on long trips. Last winter June settled into a new condo, where she enjoys historical novels and brings her voluminous travel journal up to date. "All my travels end in Agawam, where family and friends still reside." C-2, GC-4, GGC-1

LORRAINE HARPIN Maniscalchi
112 Brien Street
Agawam, MA 01001

After nearly 25 years at the Travelers Insurance Company, Lorraine retired to an even busier lifestyle. She volunteers two mornings a week at St. John's Church, where husband Chic is also Minister of Liturgical Music and organist. An accomplished knitter, she has donated mountains of garments to the needlecraft booth of the annual church bazaar. She also enjoys baking, poker, crosswords, and her grandkids. The Maniscalchis have toured Spain and Italy and, with their church's senior group, have taken many one- and three-day trips throughout the Northeast. C-3, GC-7

CAROL HENRY Muller
Linda Lane
Bainbridge, NY

GORDON JONES

790 Pugsley Drive
Monticello, FL 32344

Gordon had a career in industrial insulation, working throughout the U.S., the Virgin Islands and Trinidad. During this time, he lived in St. Croix three years and did extensive traveling in the Caribbean. He retired to Florida in 1978, where he amuses himself with woodworking and gardening. This past summer was spent visiting his youngest daughter at her home in Sligo, Ireland. C-3, GC-3

BERNICE KARAKLA Sobinski

991 Ratley Road
West Suffield, CT 06093

Bernice was a senior buyer in the electronics industry when she retired, but briefly. She went back to work part-time as a purchasing agent, only to return to full-time work. Bernice has hiked to the summit of Mt. Katodin and walked the glacier icefields in Banff, British Columbia. She has camped cross-country *twice*, traveled 48 states, Mexico, and every lower Canadian province. European visits include Italy, Switzerland, Litchenstein, Spain, Morocco, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Holland, England and Ireland. Add to that her hobbies of oil painting, birding, and active participation in the Wild Flower Association, as well as singing in the church choir and nursing home volunteer work, and you have one achieving lady. C-2

MARJORIE KEEFE Cebrelli

14 Prospect Street
Agawam, MA 01001

She was our class's Shyest Girl and Sweetest Girl, but she's no longer shyest. Marge is an avid gardener and still a great flower arranger, a skill she developed over the years working at her family's flower shop, Keefe Florist. In fact, Marge has made the corsages and centerpieces for tonight's reunion. Now retired, she's traveled New England and eastern Canada. C-3, GC-4

PAUL KERR

74 Brookline Avenue
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Formerly one of Agawam's Finest, Paul retired from the police force to spend time fishing, golfing and hunting. C-3

PRISCILLA KERR Forsman

612 Northwest Street
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Ceramics and flower arranging occupy Priscilla since her retirement. She's been to Bermuda twice, and visited the Bahamas and Florida. C-2, GC-2

THOMAS KWIATKOWSKI

542 Sundown Trail
Casselberry, FL 32707

Though retired and living permanently in Florida, Tom still has his house on Shoemaker Lane for summer and holiday visits up North.

CLAIRE LETENDRE Formwalt
1 Jingle Shell Lane
Hilton Head Plantation
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926-1958

Formerly a fifth grade teacher, Claire was Elementary Art Supervisor in the Wilbraham school system, assisting in the institution of a talented and gifted program geared to children's interests. She enjoys golf, creative stitchery, calligraphy, watercolors and Sumi-é, a form of Japanese brush painting. She's traveled our country and its neighbors to the north and south, as well as the Caribbean Islands, Hawaiian Islands and Korea. All her children are educators, from elementary teachers to a college professor, and all live in Georgia, close to Claire's adopted paradise, Hilton Head Island. C-3, GC-7

SHIRLEY LINNEHAN Kneely
45 Old Stewart Avenue
New Hyde Park, NY 11040

A member of the Society of Scribes, Shirley teaches calligraphy in local high school adult education programs. Her extraordinary skill is reflected in the nametags we are wearing tonight. She retired from many years as a surgical recovery room clerk. C-2, GC-4

STANLEY LOOMIS

4280 N.E. 12th Terrace
Pompano Beach, FL 33064

Stanley married Ruth Withee (from our rival town, West Springfield), who knows many of our class members. With their four hands they built a house on Albert Street and set to raising a family before moving to Florida in the late '50s. A retired electrician, Stan enjoys woodworking, tennis, square dancing, and his horses, dogs and cats. His wartime travels: North Africa by way of Casablanca, Morocco, and Tunisia by boxcar; Rome to France, Germany and Austria, ending up at Hitler's home. "The food, lodging and transportation were lousy, but of course the price was right." C-4

LOUIS LOVOTTI

14 Oak Hill Avenue
Agawam, MA 01001

A retired staff manager at Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, Lou now enjoys rounds of golf. C-3, GC-7

ROSE MAIOLO Sheldon

221 Fairway Drive
East Windsor, CT 06088-9758

Before retirement, Rose was a machine operator for Montgomery Company in New Hampshire, then Craftsman and Easco Hand Tools in North Carolina. She still employs her hands to good advantage, with sewing, embroidery, quilting, chochet, cooking and baking. She's been to Colorado three times, Vermont and points north many, many times. In 1989 via Norwegian Cruise Lines, she visited Ochos Rio, Cozumel, Cancun, Play a Del Carmen, and Grand Caymen Island. C-6, GC-7

EDWARD MASON

14 Norris Street

Feeding Hills, MA 01030

A retired secondary school teacher and coach, Ed devoted over 30 years to the development of young people. He coached football at our rival West Side High for 8 seasons, helping them to 3 championships. He then coached both football and ice hockey at Springfield Technical High School for 26 years, during which his hockey teams achieved 2 regional championships. Now his hobby is woodworking.
C-6, GC-15

SHIRLEY MATTESON Wands

127 North Elm Street

Westfield, MA 01085

After working as a full charge bookkeeper/office manager/secretary for mostly small offices, Shirley retired to part-time consulting for companies going through Chapter 11. (Of the six firms consulting her in the last five years, four have turned their businesses around.) Shirley still works stints to tide offices over vacations and sick leaves and also serves as an escort driver for heavy over the road trucking. She's an antique dealer, and she sews, quilts and plays the organ for pleasure. A longtime member of Women in Construction, Shirley has taken college courses for computers as well as construction estimating for the building trades. Her travels regularly take her up and down the eastern seaboard to her daughters in Florida and to the coastal town of Waldeboro, Maine. C-4, GC-3, GGC-2

DORIS MEEHAN Tyler
CHARLES TYLER
5253 Wydella Road
Lilburn, GA 30247

Chuck and Dorrie are still going strong, now living in the tenth house they have owned. A claim supervisor for the Travelers Insurance Company for 32 years, Chuck was transferred from Springfield to Miami to Atlanta and back to Hartford before he retired in 1981. Dorrie was a realtor in Connecticut and owned a beauty salon in Stone Mountain, Georgia. She now enjoys sewing and church work, while Chuck occupies himself with golf, swimming and his garden. They both love to travel and have done a lot of it: a grand tour of Europe, cruises from the Yucatan to Nassau, the Panama Canal, and trips to Hawaii, Puerto Vallarta, and all major cities and attractions in the Southeast, especially Panama City Beach, Florida, "the closest thing here to Cape Cod." C-3, GC-5

ALFRED MONTAGNA
4 Sherwood Drive
Sterling Junction, MA 01565

Retired from his managerial position as Netco's District Construction Engineer, Alfred spends time farming and fishing. His main accomplishment? "Still alive at 67!" Does he travel? "Anywhere!" C-3, GC-3

ROGER PERRY
11090 Carnegie Avenue
Englewood, FL 34224

Though officially retired as a CPA, Roger still works part of the year. Possibly during tax season? His hobbies are tennis and woodworking, and he has traveled to Hawaii and several points in Canada. C-3, GC-6

RUTH PHELPS Bowers
110 Woodmont Street
West Springfield, MA 01089

She was the Executive Secretary for the president of United Cooperative Bank until her retirement in 1989. In the meantime, Ruth has seen the world. She has circled the upper hemisphere and lived in Singapore for two years in the early '70s. Destinations include Hawaii, Japan, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Bangkok, Greece, Italy, Switzerland, Ireland and India. C-1

RUTH RAISON Carey
2423 Alberton Drive
Niles, MI 49120

A 27 year teacher, Ruth taught 16 years of kindergarden and 11 years of secondary home economics prior to retirement in 1984. She's now busy with gardening, cooking and crafts, and she volunteers one afternoon a week at her church. She's taken two tours of Europe and an Elderhostel trip. C-2, StepC-3, GC-9, GGC-2

EDITH RIVARD Weston
106 Homer Street
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Edith spent her entire professional life in the securities industry, beginning part-time as a clerk assistant and retiring as Operations Manager at a national brokerage firm. Her leisure activities include golf, ceramics, oil painting and watercolors. Edith's travels have taken her to Alabama, Arkansas, Tennessee, Arizona, Pennsylvania, Florida, Ohio and Illinois. C-1, GC-2, GGC-3

MADELEINE ROBILLARD Dugan

54 Cooley Street
Agawam, MA 01001

A retired homemaker (Does a homemaker ever truly retire?), Madeline and her husband Bob enjoy camping trips together. She finds pleasure with sewing and crafts.
C-2, GC-3

CHARLES ROOD

Whereabouts Unknown

MARGARET ROSS

95 North Westfield Street Apt. 32
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Though semi-retired, Margaret has worked 12 years at Wico Electric Company. In her leisure time, she reads and creates embroidered treasures.

LOUIS ROSSO

39 Jeffrey Road
Springfield, MA 01119

Formerly a Sales Manager for Drake Smith & Company, Lou earned a Bachelor of Science degree at American International College. Now retired, he spends time on the golf links. He recently returned from a five week trip to Scotland, England and Paris. C-2

ELAINE SALANI Consolati
14 Fairview Street
Windsor Locks, CT 06096

A secretary and engineering aide by profession, Elaine is retired and now spends her free time reading, sewing and knitting. For the past 14 years, she has gone back and forth to Florida annually, and has visited the Chicago and Cleveland areas many times. C-3, GC-4

ROSE SANTINELLO Laperle
1186 Bay Street
Springfield, MA 01109

Still working part-time as a secretary, Rose enjoys life by taking one day at a time. She loves to crochet and knit, and takes up any new challenging project that comes along. She and her husband have made many trips to Bermuda, Hawaii and Florida before his two heart operations. Now they're taking it easy. "We never plan anything, we just get up and go day by day, enjoying our lives together."

PAULINE SECORD Hanson
14 Kenneth Lunden Drive
East Longmeadow, MA 01028

Pauline spent 28 years in banking and put in many more years in volunteer service with the Massachusetts Association for the Blind and with her church. She plays the organ "at a self-entertainment level," reads, and has enjoyed swimming, biking, and golf. In addition to Canada and Mexico, she has traveled the East Coast, many southern states, and the northern U.S. as far west as Wyoming. C-2

GRACE SHAYLOR Tubbs

64 Hillview Road
Holyoke, MA 01040

Presently her company's Treasurer and bookkeeper, Grace is a 1947 graduate of the University of New Hampshire. She is a passionate reader of Great Books and keeps active with bicycling and walking. She has a summer (and future retirement) home on the Cape in Sandwich. She has traveled the U.S., plus Europe, Russia, the Caribbean and Canada. She has attended a number of Elderhostels. C-3, GC-3

JEAN SHAYLOR Wilson

27 Craig Drive J-4
West Springfield, MA 01089

When she's not attending horse shows, antique shows and auctions, Jean is still working "a little" as a bank clerk and sales clerk. She owned a registered Morgan mare who won ribbons at Morgan horse shows and, in the course of getting interested in antiques and collectibles, has run booths at flea markets. She has an extensive collection of antique glass and Lladro porcelain figurines. Travels have been around New England, New York State, and to Disney World. C-5, GC-2

HELEN SMITH Platt

P.O. Box 3463
Venice, FL 34293-0133.

Helen has been living in Florida since 1975, and is "still enjoying it." She spends time in Massachusetts in the warm months and, in fact, made four trips north this summer! Her pasttimes include reading, gardening, playing cards and dominoes, and traveling in the U.S. She considers it an accomplishment that she and her husband John "lived to retire" and prays "we have many more years when we can be active and travel and work as we please."

SHIRLEY SPRING Crandall

General Delivery

Bradenton, FL 34206

Shirley met her husband Don when she was at UMass (Class of 1946) and he was a soldier stationed at Amherst College. She taught school in Nebraska while he finished at U. of N., and they lived in Ohio most of the ensuing years. They moved to California in 1974, where Shirley is now a homemaker taking theater classes at San Francisco State University and doing some sewing and crewel work for pleasure. She has visited Europe, the Galapagos Islands and many of our National Parks. Other accomplishments? "I made it this far!" C-3, GC-2

RICHARD STAPLETON

Chief Assessor

Berlin, NH 03570

A Certified Assessor for the states of New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Connecticut, Richard was appointed by Governor Sununu and reappointed by Governor Gregg to the Current Use for the State of New Hampshire. He is very much working, as the Chief Assessor of the City of Berlin. Richard otherwise spends his time skiing, riding horses, bicycling and traveling. He has visited the eastern provinces of Canada, South Carolina, Arizona, California and Mexico. C-3, GC-5

MARY SUBOTIN Gagliarducci

1178 Main Street
Agawam, MA 01001

For 22 years, Mary ran the Music Department of the Mason Square branch of the Springfield City Library. Naturally, she still spends a lot of her time reading, in addition to sewing, gardening, entertaining and traveling. Trips have included Florida, California and Germany. She has a nephew in the service and visits him wherever he's stationed. Mary's accomplishments? "Ask me personally and I'll tell you!" C-2. GC-2

ROLAND SWANSON

1705 Wembley Court
Greensboro, NC 27410

Roland is retired after 39 years at Gilbarco as a marketing analyst. His wife Ginny, however, is still working at the library of the University of North Carolina, Greensboro, so Roland has been "keeping house for the past seven years." This he calls his hobby. His eldest son lives in Luxembourg, in charge of engine controls for GM throughout Europe, so Roland has spent several weeks during the last two years visiting his son and "seeing a bit of the Continent- England, France, Germany, Switzerland." U.S. travels have been to California, Indiana and Florida. C-2, GC-2

RICHARD TOELKEN

Box 27124
Prescott Valley, AZ 86312

Miss Dickerman would have been impressed by Dick's sentence structure and prolific composition, but we must paraphrase. Dick and his wife Barbara ("best wife I ever had; a certified old fashioned gal") spend their time between mobile homes in Prescott Valley, Arizona and Miniturn, Maine and

their former house in Agawam, now passed on to daughter Lucinda. Their legal residence—"So long, Massachusetts state tax"—is in Arizona, where they live across the street from their eldest son. Dick has had a very full professional life, beginning with rebuilding gunsights, gun turrets and auto engines in the USAAF. Antioch College graduated him as a mechanical engineer in 1951, whereupon he began his "corporate slavery" at Hamilton Standard working in patent engineering, preliminary design, reliability engineering on the Apollo Lunar Lander, then safety engineering on spacecraft systems and space suits, and finally on engineering proposals. In the meantime he was a partner in a pipe organ rebuilding business which became the Berkshire Organ Company. He completed night school at UConn School of Law in 1958, and earned his MBA at Western New England College in 1976. Dick went on to work at Pratt & Whitney in reliability and safety engineering, and then wound up for 13 years at GE Lynn, retiring as Senior Reliability Engineer for aircraft engines. No slouch in the hobby department either, Dick finds time to repair autos and machines, play and repair all types of organs, sail, motorboat, and take photographs. He enjoys local government, fire department volunteering, fraternal and church activities and computer applications for home and church. He is a member of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary and U.S. Power Squadron. There's lots more, but he'll have to tell you himself! C-3, GC-1

HENRY WANIEWSKI

397 South Westfield Street
Feeding Hills, MA 01030

Henry operates Waniewski Farms in Feeding Hills, a retail store for meat products which is known for its great kielbasa and turkey pies. Our class's Best Dressed gent counts golf and gardening among his hobbies. Hank and Lorraine Harpin share the same wedding anniversary date, September 1, 1947. C-2, GC-2

JUSTIN WILKE

14022 Deer Trail Drive
Hudson, FL 34667

HARRY WILLIAMS

19632 Marble Drive
Sun City West, AZ 85375

A retired manager, Harry is "still surviving." He is a sculptor, golfer, lawn bowler and oil painter. Business travel has taken him to England, France, Germany, Italy, Switzerland, Brazil and throughout the U.S. He still has his 1942 yearbook and says that "the name Feeding Hills continues to sound amusing to the people here in Arizona." C-1, GC-2

JOHN WILSON

P.O. Box 190
34 Sea Meadow Circle
West Hyannisport, MA 02672

After graduating from American International College in 1949, John went on to work in the field of finance where he was Vice President, Finance at his retirement in 1988. "Raising four children and educating them" was a major accomplishment. John's leisure activities include golf, photography, gardening and fishing. His travelog is extensive; it began when he served in the infantry during WWII. In Europe, he's been to England, Ireland, Scotland, France, Italy, Belgium, Switzerland, Holland and Germany. Other destinations include Australia, New Zealand, Hawaii, Greece, Brazil, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico and more. C-4, GC-2

DOROTHY WOODRUFF

Whereabouts Unknown

LENA ZABINI Lach
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A nameplate engraver for many years, Lena is now retired. She enjoys collecting, especially antique jewelry. She has been to Hawaii, a trip which was accomplished after she achieved a landmark feat—"getting on an airplane."
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REMEMBER WHEN TRIVIA FROM 1942

The Cost of Things:

3 Bedroom Home	\$3,775
Average Income	\$2,500
New Ford	\$815
Bread	\$0.09
Gallon of Gas	\$0.20
Gallon of Milk	\$0.60
Pound of Bacon	\$0.39

Musical Favorites:

Paper Doll
Serenade In Blue
That Old Black Magic
Don't Sit Under The Apple Tree
Be Careful It's My Heart
Praise The Lord and Pass The Ammunition
Skylark

Entertainment Highlights:

Best Movie	Mrs. Minerva
Best Actor	James Cagney
Best Actress	Greer Garson
World Series	St. Louis over the Yankees
First Gold Record	Glenn Miller for Chatanooga Choo Choo

In The News:

Camp David, Presidential retreat founded by FDR
New Products - Kellogg's Raisin Bran, Sunbeam Bread
Ration Books Issued
Nylon Parachutes Produced
Tubeless Tires Tested
Wrigley Co. Packed K-rations
Abbott and Costello
Sad Sack Cartoon Begins
Bing Crosby Sings White Christmas

The White House:

President - Franklin Roosevelt
Vice President - Henry A. Wallace



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